DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Price of food grains—Rice	...	6·5	7 to 7·25	seers per rupee.
Ragi	...	14·8	13·50 to 14	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 8 seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is reported in most parts of the District, except in Bangalore and Hoskote Taluks. Til, haraka, ground-nut in parts of the Bangalore Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks. Til in Anekal Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk is reported to be sown. Vaisakhi is reported to have been harvested in some parts of Hoskote, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy are reported to be in good condition throughout.

Estimated outturn.—Paddy 12 annas; ragi 6 to 8 annas; kulthi 8 to 10 annas; kadle 6 to 8 annas in Hoskote Taluk. Paddy 12 annas in Magadi Taluk; 8 to 12 annas in Channapatna Taluk and 6 to 8 annas in Devanhalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Sufficient supply of food stock is available.

11. Public health is generally good. Small-pox and measles are reported to prevail in some parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available throughout the district. 'Neradi Roga' is reported to prevail in the villages of Kamana Agrahar, Tubugere, Sonnenahalli and Rampura of Dodballapur Taluk and Gangavadi of Closepet Sub-Taluk. 'Dodda Roga' in the villages of Yadamadu, Mudenahalli, Vaderahalli of Kankanhalli Taluk and in Bididi, Bannikuppa and Kenchankuppa of Closepet Sub-Taluk.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing, preparing and manuring the soil in all the taluks.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all parts of the district.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—

Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda, estimated yield being 4 to 12 annas; jola in Bagepalli Taluk, yield 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Rain is insufficient. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in many villages of the Kolar Taluk and in some villages of the Bowringpet, Bagepalli and Gudibanda Taluks; cholera in parts of the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient in all taluks, excepting the Chikballapur town and parts of Chikballapur Taluk, where water scarcity is felt to some extent.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi in Pavagada; jola in Tiptur and Turuvekere; black and green grams in Tiptur; and til in Koratagere.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada, Koratagere and Turuvekere; and sugar-cane in Tiptur, Kunigal and Turuvekere.

Condition of crops.—Good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Pavagada, Kunigal and Turuvekere; fair in Tumkur, Sira, Tiptur and Koratagere.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food grains are available. Their prices are almost the same as in the previous week.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. In Pavagada water and fodder are fairly available. In other parts of the district, they are available in sufficient quantities. "Dod Roga" prevails in a few villages of the Tiptur Taluk. It is subsiding in the Pavagada Taluk.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are ploughed in parts of the Seringapatam, Nanjangud, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Mandya Taluks; cholum in parts of the Mysore, Seringapatam, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks; til in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete Taluks; togari in parts of the Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks; haraka and samé in parts of the Hunsur Taluk; kambu, navane, baragu, avare and coriander in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Malvalli Taluk and paddy in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore Taluk, small-pox in parts of the Mandya Taluk and cholera in parts of the Krishnarajpete Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" in parts of the Mysore and Mandya Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, kar paddy in Hassan, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in Hole-Narsipur and Belur Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Gid ragi and paddy in Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks; togari, jola, yellu and green and black grams in Arsikere, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; ragi and paddy in Alur Sub-Taluk; and kode paddy in Manjarabad Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for cholera in Chikkadlur village of the Hassan Taluk and Wadderhalli village of Arkalgud Taluk and at Kasaba of Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, the public health is good.

12. Water and fodder available for cattle which are generally healthy, except in two villages of Arsikere Taluk, where "Foot and mouth" disease has not yet abated.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are in progress in Shimoga, Honnali and Sorab Taluks. Seeds are sown in parts of Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane is in good condition in Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Kar paddy in Sagar Taluk is also in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Harvesting of sugar-cane and arecanut has been completed in the Tirthahalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available in all the taluks.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks. Rinderpest prevails in the Tirthahalli town.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured throughout the district.

Crops sown.—Paddy and ragi in parts of Chikmagalur.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in the taluks of Chikmagalur and Kadur; sugar-cane in the taluk of Tarikere and in Sringeri, and kode paddy in Mudgere are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of the kasaba hobli, Kadur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. "Foot and mouth" disease still exists in certain villages of the kasaba and Hirenallur hoblis, Kadur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Owing to the recent rainfall people are busily engaged in preparing their lands in all the taluks, except in Davangere, Holalkere and Harihar, where the rainfall has been very scanty.

Standing crops such as paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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